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cloudy with isolated brief showers.  
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## H.K. SHIRTS AGAIN FLAPPING IN LANCASHIRE

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT

London, July 11.  
The perennial question of Hongkong shirts has been raised again — this time by manufacturers in Manchester who are to urge their trade organisations to place the "problem" before the Clothing Development Council.

It would seem that by making this move, Manchester clothiers have a double objective.

Most of them opposed the setting up of the Council, and have refused to co-operate with it. By placing before it a problem to which there can be no logical reply, they may hope to stump the Council on its first major test.

To those who have the interest of Hongkong at heart, this new attack on the Colony's exports to Britain is refreshingly different from previous attacks.

Then the cry was that the shirts were really Japanese

produce imported into this country under the guise of Empire produce to get favourable Imperial Preference terms. Attacks were also made on their quality which was given as the reason for their extremely low price.

### DIRECTION SHIFTS

Now, however, the direction of the attacks has been shifted and the new complaint is that the competition of Hongkong shirts will cause unemployment in Lancashire — and the manufacturers know that this is a good stick with which to beat the Labour Government.

So far as quality is concerned, it is now admitted that Hongkong shirts are greatly superior to anything offered by Japan before the war. But they are still said to be below the standard of home-produced cloth.

Commenting on this latest salvo Mr. E. G. A. Grimwood, the Hongkong Government representative in London, pointed out that Britain still enjoys a very favourable balance of trade with the Colony. Its exports to Hongkong in the first four months of this year amounted to \$152,000,000 and its imports for the same period were valued at \$51,000,000.

### MUST BE RECIPROCAL

In May, Britain exported to the Colony goods worth \$39,000,000 and imports amounted to \$25,000,000. But the large increase in U.K. imports during May was largely accounted for by the resumption of shipments of tea and oil which had been temporarily suspended.

"If Hongkong is to maintain its position as a large distributing centre for British goods," said Mr. Grimwood, "it must have reciprocal trade. On balance, Britain gets the better of the bargain. Without trade with the home country, Hongkong would have an acute unemployment problem — and there is no more fertile ground than that in which to breed Communist agitation."

## Handling The Meat



The scene at Smithfield Market as troops from Woolwich handle the meat — owing to the continued strike of the transport men. (London Express Service)

## RENEWED BRITISH BID TO END KOREA CONFLICT

### Yugoslav Border Precautions

Belgrade, July 11.  
The government today announced that a special permit would be required for all trips to Yugoslav border areas.

The decree followed repeated rumours of increased military activity along the frontier of Yugoslavia's Communist neighbours, Bulgaria, Rumania and Hungary. The latest sign of possible trouble was a government announcement that Yugoslav living in Hungary near the Yugoslav border had been ordered by the Hungarian government to move to the interior of that country within 48 hours. — United Press.

### Ambassador Talks With Gromyko

London, July 11.  
Sir David Kelly, the British Ambassador in Moscow, today saw M. Andrei Gromyko, the Deputy Soviet Foreign Minister, in Moscow and discussed the Korean situation with him, a Foreign Office spokesman stated tonight.

The interview was held at Sir David Kelly's request. Among other matters Sir David asked M. Gromyko if anything was known about the whereabouts of the former British Minister in South Korea, Mr. Vyvyan Holt, and the Bishop of Seoul. M. Gromyko said that the Soviet Government had no information.

### SOVIET LOOTING IN GERMANY

Born, July 11.  
Russia has taken over \$60,000,000,000 from Germany in reparations since 1945, according to a Social Democratic Party memorandum issued here today.

The main item, it said, was \$10,000,000,000 worth of goods from current production. Disbanding and "war trophies" removed from the Soviet zone and Berlin totalled \$9,000,000,000, the Polish occupied territories worth \$25,000,000,000 and property belonging to refugees worth \$10,200,000,000.

The Soviet Union has thus taken from Germany more than the \$10,000,000,000 worth of reparations claimed at the Potsdam Conference, the memorandum said.

An especially tragic part of the story, it said, was the deportation of many thousands of German industrial and scientific specialists and workmen who, with their families, were moved to Russia and have, in most cases, never been heard of again.

The Soviets have removed great quantities of art treasures from Berlin and East German museums. These treasures included work by world famous artists, the memorandum said. — Reuter.

### Malaya Rewards

Singapore, July 11.  
The Malayan Government has paid over S\$250,000 in rewards for information leading to the arrest of terrorists so far this year, the police said today. — Reuter.

## AMERICAN FORCES STRIVING TO HALT KOREANS

### Bitter Tank Engagement On Road To Taejon

### NEAR "NO RETREAT" LINE

Tokyo, July 12.  
General MacArthur's headquarters in a midnight communique said that "American forces in Korea are continuing their action to stabilise the situation by stopping the North Korean offensive above the Kum River, which flows within nine miles of Taejon, temporary South Korean capital."

### Atlantic Pact High Command

London, July 11.  
The first meeting of the North Atlantic Pact deputies will take place on July 25 in London, it was learned from a usually reliable source today.

### Pakistan Joins The Bank

Washington, July 11.  
Pakistan today joined the International Monetary Fund and the International Bank. The articles of agreement were signed at a brief ceremony at the State Department by Mr. A. H. H. Isphahani, the Pakistani Ambassador. Pakistan's quota in the Fund is \$100 million. Her subscription to the capital stock of the Bank is 1,000 shares, with a total par value of \$100 million. — Reuter.

### Armoured Cars Lose Their Way

Berlin, July 11.  
Three British armoured cars manned by eight British soldiers were released by the Russians tonight after being detained in the Eastern Zone for several hours. The soldiers had driven the vehicles across the border when they lost their way, during training exercises in the French sector of Berlin, and were promptly seized by the Russians. — United Press.

## French Socialists Vote For Plevin

Paris, July 11.  
M. Rene Plevin, 49-year-old Defence Minister in the last two French governments, was elected Prime Minister by the French National Assembly today after a three-week political crisis.

The Assembly elected M. Plevin, a near Radical, by 375 votes to 185. Socialists, who had rejected two previous governments, voted with the majority.

The Popular Republican Movement, headed by M. Georges Bidault, fell on a vote of confidence on June 24 after demands by the Socialists, who had earlier withdrawn from the government, for wage increases for civil servants.

Frontline dispatches said that two American tanks out of seven, outnumbered and out-gunned, clanked to the rear, reporting that five others lay twisted and torn along the road from Chochiwon to Taejon.

[The Defence Department in Washington reported that 10 American tanks were lost]. The crews of the two tanks that got back said that they were met by concentrated fire from North Korean tanks, artillery and infantry.

The spearhead of an estimated 75,000 Communist troops, with about 80 tanks, pushed southward, leaving four of the American tanks in a paddlyfield by the roadside, their crews believed cremated inside. The fifth lost tank exploded under a direct hit.

The midnight communique said, "American forces in Korea are continuing their action to stabilise the situation by stopping the North Korean offensive above the Kum River."

"Elements of an American regimental combat team halted one enemy drive at a point eight miles north-west of Chochiwon on the banks of the Ming River, a tributary of the Kum. This drive had succeeded in advancing south to Chonwi, approximately 25 miles north-west of Taejon."

RELATIVELY STABLE  
The remainder of this front, called the Chonan-Chincheon area, was reported relatively stable near Chonan. However, the enemy is continuing to concentrate troops and armaments in this sector with the possible objective of reinforcing the two North Korean divisions.

"North Korean forces were also active in the Umsong-Chongju area. North of the Tangyang area enemy forces were attacking South Korean forces south of the Han River, near Sin Ni."

"The trend of activity in this sector points to an eventual two-pronged drive on Taejon."

"Enemy activity on the east coast increased, although it still remains on a relatively small scale. An enemy force is advancing, on Mucho, and enemy strength near Uchun is reported to be increasing."

"Confirmation has been received that young Koreans are being pressed into service near Seoul."

### Speeding Military Aid

Washington, July 11.  
The House of Representatives Foreign Affairs Committee today unanimously approved President Truman's \$1,222,500,000 Military Aid bill carrying funds for embattled South Korea.

The Committee also put on record its favouring the establishment of a Pacific pact similar to the North Atlantic pact but made no recommendation.

M. Plevin was continuing his talks for the formation of his Cabinet this afternoon and the new government was expected to be completed tomorrow. — Reuter.

### EDITORIAL

## Will H.K. Play Its Part?

AGAINST the very serious background of the Korean conflict and the consequent international tension, it is not surprising to find that the House of Commons has been debating the weapon of political broadcasting in the Far East. And, not unnaturally, that the operations of Hongkong Radio were brought frequently into the picture. Nominally, the subject under discussion was the building of a new B.B.C. station in Malaya for the purpose of relaying broadcasts directed specifically to the Far East, but few of the speakers were satisfied that the B.B.C. material could be as effective as that collated in Hongkong where experts on Chinese affairs can keep their ears close to the ground. The comparison made in Parliament was that the B.B.C. reveals a slavish adherence to aloof objectivity whereas in Hongkong the presentation of news is just as truthful but is put over in a much more colourful manner. Moreover, Hongkong has a big advantage because it is quick to discover when an urgent need arises to counter fiction broadcast from the other side of the Bamboo Curtain. Unfortunately, Hongkong's real place in the scheme was very largely misunderstood. It is easy to agree that Hongkong can develop much more punch and appeal to listeners than broadcasts under the direct auspices of the B.B.C. but unfortunately, H.K. is wasting its time for the simple reason that the strength of the output from Hongkong remains so feeble that it cannot reach those to whom the truth would be most valuable. It is equally true, as we argued recently when pressing for a radical stepping-up of the power of the Hongkong transmitter, that

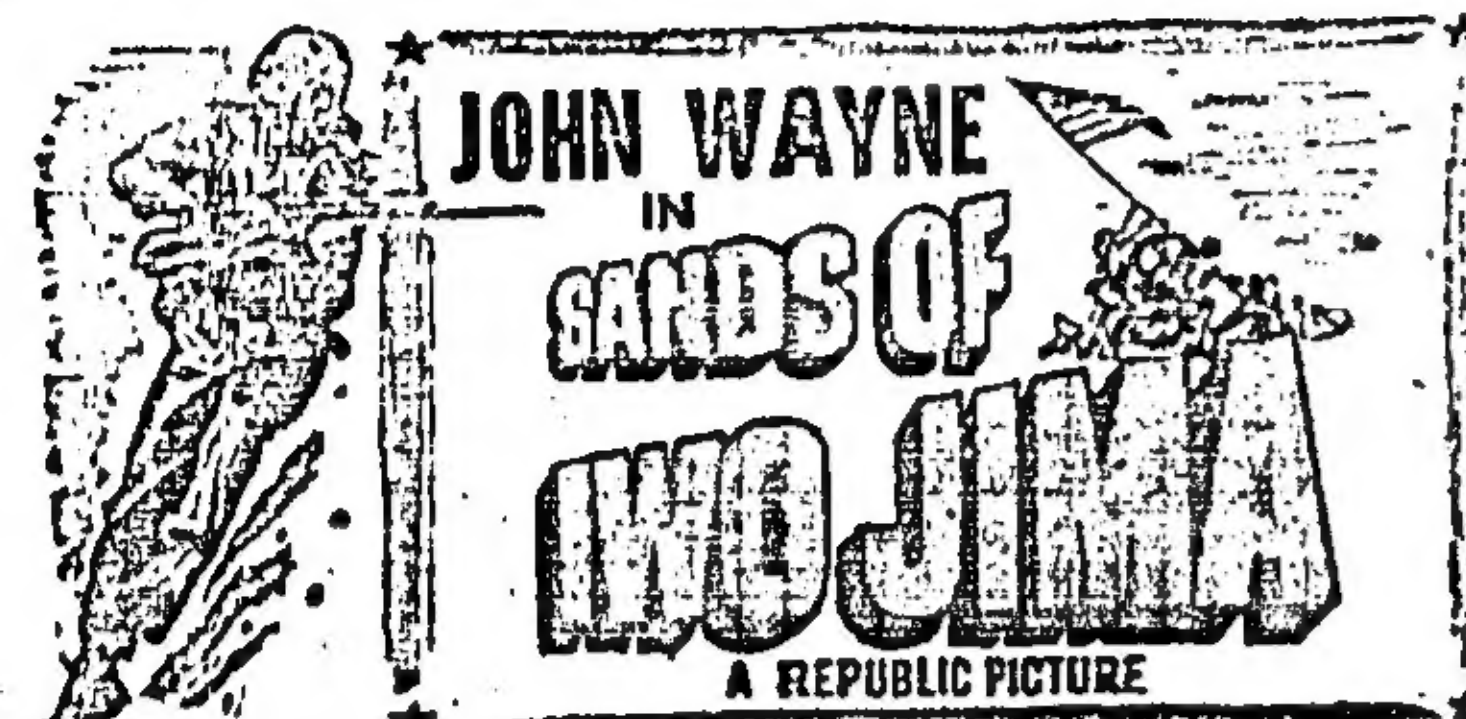
the most powerful political weapon we have is the microphone and transmission through the ether, and that we are not playing our part in the task of resisting Communist expansion in South-East Asia. How small is the field covered by Hongkong was not properly appreciated in Parliament, except perhaps by Mr. Walter Fletcher, who referred to a "limited access," and insisted that an increase in the range of the local transmitter must be regarded as essentially complementary to the big new B.B.C. station in Malaya. What response the Hongkong Government or Cable and Wireless have made as the result of recent urgings that we have a duty to perform, that the need is urgent, and a long-range transmitter is imperative, has not been publicly disclosed. But the points then submitted have been emphasised by the Korean crisis and lent additional force by the trend of the debate in the Commons. In our view, rapid repair of the Colony's radio deficiencies is a matter of the highest importance. It should be superfluous to stress it. The influence of care, fully handled radio news and commentary in stemming the tide towards Kremlin politics can be considerable, and Hongkong's special place in the sun should, indisputably, compel action. To limit our scope to Hongkong and Malaya, and occasionally Swatow, is a miserable confession of failure. The listeners we should be reaching are the educated classes in places like Canton, Hankow, Nanking and Shanghai, not to mention Peking. Give them the truth and do not underestimate their intelligence. Nothing but good could come of it.



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# WOMANSENSE

by SUSAN DEACON

## Hats take a forward tilt again

PITY the poor milliner! His scope is really very limited. After designing hats to be worn on the back of the head, the following season he tilts them forward... then sideways... then straight, and then he has no choice but to start the dreary round all over again.

Next season we return to the forward tilt. It is not so exaggerated as it was in 1939 when we balanced saucer-like hats precariously on our foreheads.

But, after the back-fitting hats of the last two seasons, these new hats have a distinct forward movement. Flared and long-haired floss hats are popular... trimmed mostly with feathers and grosgrain.

### Taller crowns

THE autumn will see the return of the pill-box and of hand-knitted hats. Crowns, which have been snug and head-fitting, are becoming taller... but, generally, brims remain small.

The Queen's milliner makes the "position" hat in copper bronze floss felt with black ribbon. (See photograph).



The triangle hat.

the position.

### How to do....

## A NEAT JOB IN PACKING

By ELEANOR ROSS

TODAY let's do a right smart job with a wardrobe case, a piece of luggage that seems to create all sorts of packing difficulties with some people, although why, we don't know, for it is an extremely sensible and well-planned piece. Perhaps it's those hangers that get in the way.

### How to Start

Start by slipping back the curtain that separates the hanger space from the flat packing space. Then lower the first or skirt-holder bar to a horizontal position and raise the second bar to its highest position. This will cause the hanger rack to come forward automatically. Remove hangers from this rack and the case is ready for use.

Put evening dresses and other dresses in first, sliding the hanger to the back. Instead of folding your skirt lengthwise, so that it fits over the lower rung of your hangers, you can use large safety pins attached to the waistband of the skirt and then slipped over the upper rung of the hanger.

### Packing Dresses

When packing dresses, arrange them so that their width is slightly less than the width of the skirt-holder bar. Make sure that sleeves are draped smoothly over the front of each dress.

Now, when all the hangables are packed, lower the bar and it will draw the packed garments automatically up into the lid of the case. Skirts will fall gently over this bar.

All that's left to do is to snap the curtain or partition in place and proceed with your flat packing in the bottom of the case.

### A Wardrobe Trunk

When packing a wardrobe trunk, pack the things least likely to be quickly needed in back of the hanger section, keeping all the things likely to be used first, or often, to the front. Since drawers in a wardrobe trunk are deep but narrow, you'll find you'll end up with less creasing if you roll sweaters and lingerie, making use of accordion-pleated tissue paper.

Woodworm in furniture is not easily cured, but methods of treatment are dealt with in detail in an excellent booklet called "Enemies of Timber."

From June to August the grubs are near the surface of the wood. So now is the time to start treatment. It is useless to spray furniture with insecticide. The powder should be removed from the worm holes and the liquid fed into the holes with a soft brush.

### Longer lives

THERE are several ways of making garden flowers last longer.

Lupins have a hollow stem, and after picking fill the stem with water by holding upside down under a tap. Seal the stem with your finger until it is immersed in the vase.

Dahlia stems should be singed over a flame to seal the broken stalk. Do not stand roses in the sun.

### Recipes

FRESH fruit has much more flavour if it is sliced before serving.

TRY serving strawberries sliced, each layer sprinkled with caster sugar, instead of the whole fruit.

SEIZE grilled orange slices with chicken or goose. Peel oranges and cut in thick slices. Brush with melted butter, dust with sugar and grill.

—(London Express Service).

## New angle in medicine:

## Typhoid Vaccine To Cure Eye Ills Suggested

By H. N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

CERTAIN parts of the eyes have much less resistance to infection than other parts. Thus, if an inflammation is set up in the eye it often proves difficult to handle and responds slowly, if at all, to simple methods of treatment.

One of these is iritis or inflammation of the coloured part of the eye. In certain instances, the germs causing this condition can be identified and, in these cases, the infection can sometimes be treated with antibiotic medications. More often, however, it cannot and hence, in the majority of cases, specific treatment cannot be given.

Another such condition is known as sympathetic ophthalmia, a disorder in which a disturbance in one eye will cause severe inflammation of the other.

### Typhoid Vaccine

One method of dealing with these conditions involves the injection of typhoid vaccine which produces fever and certain other reactions that seem to help get rid of the eye condition. Recently, it has been suggested that this treatment is much more successful when the injection is given slowly over a long period of time rather than in rapid, long-dose injections.

In carrying out this treatment, a small amount of the vaccine is put into a salt solution. The patient lies down and the mixture is allowed to flow into a vein at the rate of 20 to 30 drops a minute. The patient's temperature is recorded every 15 minutes.

If the temperature does not begin to rise in from 30 to 45 minutes, the rate of flow is doubled. If, on the other hand, the rise in temperature is too rapid, the rate of flow is decreased. In elderly or weakened patients, the injection is given at a slower rate.

If improvement does occur within 48 hours after treatment a second injection of the typhoid vaccine is given.

### Showered Improvement

Of fourteen patients with iritis treated in this way, eight needed only one course of treatment and of these, two showed definite improvement within 48

hours. The others required two days to show a similar result. Two patients with sympathetic ophthalmia were treated. The first patient cleared up within 24 hours, while the second patient required two courses of treatment.

It would appear that with these disorders, the continued administration of typhoid vaccine into a vein is superior to one single injection of the vaccine, since the degree of fever and chills may be controlled.

## White Collar News



By AUCI AUDEN

SOMETHING has been added under the collar story, the colour and the collar is flared something being a flash of colour. A rose picks up the colour of the collar of a dress while the collar gives it the graceful lines of a collar. The basic dress

## Princess Keeps Slim Without Dieting

By ROBERT MUSEL

PRINCESS MARGARET, who would be described as lovely even if she weren't a princess, keeps her figure despite a hearty appetite.

While the heavy starch diet of post-war Britain is driving many women into dieting and girdles, the 10-year-old princess still tips the scales at not much over 100 pounds, yet ploughs through nightly menus that would satisfy a longshoreman.

Princess Elizabeth is also a good eater and looks it, although she photographs heavier than she appears to the eye, nevertheless, she is almost a dietician compared to her younger sister.

### Orders With Zest

A night or two ago chance placed the princess at table away from a United Press correspondent. The princess looked cheerful in an informal dinner frock, slightly décolleté, with a pink Juliet cap diamond clipped to her hair.

She looked ethereal but there was nothing spiritual about her order. She eyed the menu carefully, discussed the dishes with the headwaiter and settled for lobster, thermidor, skewered lamb with bacon, tomato and onions, a side dish of rice and chicken and for dessert, zabaglione, which is eggs whipped with marsala wine.

She washed down this snack with champagne.

### Wine Admiration

Security forbids pinpointing the night or the name of the restaurant—the restaurant's security, that is.

The princess resolutely refuses to return to eating places which capitalize on her presence, even though it is hardly a restaurant's fault that reporters also eat.

As the princess left this particular restaurant, somewhere in London, there were murmurs from the other diners. There was admiration from the men for her costume; envy from the women for her ability to disregard calories.—United Press.

## Chiffon, A Summer Story

The glorification of the shirtwaist dress with emphasis on coolness is the summer mood where double chiffon plays a star role. An American designer-manufacturer goes all out for the shirt look, for both one- and two-piece styles, and her summer's story is the chiffon shirt.

Because sheers and collars are the important fabrics, skirts are full—either in diaphanous circular fullness or in soft, unpressed pleats. The colours of the chiffon shirtwaist costumes are noteworthy with apricot, old rose, powdery blue registering effectively. Pin tucks give importance to the shirtwaist top of the apricot chiffon dress, posed over matching silk.

To give these sheers more body and not so much transparency, the double layer technique is used, in silk or organdy as well as chiffon. There is new character to individual cotton skirts shown with double chiffon tailored shirts and linked with handsome belts. Among these a satin striped pleated skirt in old rose teams with a long-sleeved matching chiffon shirt.

## Tooth Brushing Technique



Regular brushing and a semi-annual appointment with the dentist will do much to keep your teeth sound and healthy. Choose a good toothpaste, too.

By HELEN FOLLETT

ONE often hears it said that women have gone beauty mad. That is slander and we resent it. To maintain good appearance is the duty of every woman to herself, her family and her acquaintances. It is no treat to look at a woman who has let herself go to seed, who doesn't make every effort to bring out her good points, camouflage those that aren't so good.

One of the most important of her duties is to take excellent care of her teeth. Twice-daily grooming will save her pain and money in the long run. Two visits to the dentist each year mean that a professional eye is on her biters, watching for troubles that may be brewing. No matter how well and often the teeth are brushed, tartar may form, and that can be removed only by instruments.

### Good Brush

Get the best brushes you can buy; the very day that you notice that the bristles have weakened, throw them away. Brush the upper teeth downward, the lower teeth upward.

Certain foods will prove helpful in oral hygiene. A quart of milk a day is what the dentist orders because it is the best source of calcium and phosphorus. Orange and tomato juice should be taken at breakfast because they are rich in Vitamin C. Include plenty of fruit and vegetables in the diet. Butter, cheese, eggs, meat and fish are all necessary for well-being.

Exercise your gums by eating hard bread crusts, raw fibrous vegetables such as carrots, celery and cabbage hearts. Whatever contributes to the health generally contributes to the long life of your mouth pearls. Get plenty of sunshine, bathe often, breathe deeply, sleep eight hours every night.

## Let's Eat

BY IDA BAILEY ALLEN

## Buffet Dinner Chinese Style

ONE of the most delightful interludes in our visit to Syracuse University, was a party given by the Chinese students.

Refreshments were served buffet style—vegetable and chicken chow mein with crisp noodles, all tinned "in American fashion," as our Chinese host remarked. "We also have cakes of popped rice, which are similar to the American popped corn cakes," he continued. "And of course, we have your American dessert, ice cream. But here is a food that is typically Chinese. It is called po-tzu."

These were steamed yeast-dumplings, with a savoury filling of diced cooked pork and mushrooms.

### Pao-tzu—Chinese Meat-Filled Dumplings

In China, these are made with a plain yeast bread dough, meat-filled, and steam-cooked. But a tasty American facsimile can be made up with a hot roll mix, and baked.

Method: Get a package of hot roll mix. Place the contents of the small envelope of yeast in a mixing bowl. Add 1 c. tepid water, stir until dissolved. Add contents of the package of mix, stir until stiff. Brush over the top of the dough with melted butter or margarine. Cover with waxed paper and let rise at room temperature until doubled in size, about 1 hr. Then roll to 1/4 in. thickness. Cut in 1/2 in. rounds, and on each put 1 tbs. pork and mushroom filling. Fold and work dough over, so filling is concealed in centre. Place fold-side down in oiled muffin pans. Let rise again until doubled in size, about 45 min.; bake 20 to 25 min. in moderate oven, 350-375 F. Then brush over with melted butter or margarine. Makes 12.

Pork and Mushroom Filling: Finely dice enough cooked pork (or any other meat) to make

### Dinner Chinese Style

Chicken Egg Drop Soup or Tomato Egg Soup  
Chicken Chow Mein or Beef with Peppers  
Crisp Noodles or Chinese

Chinese Peanut Candy or Sliced Oranges with Bananas  
Coffee or Tea (Milk Children)

The chicken egg drop soup, vegetable or chicken chow mein and noodles, which constitute the first choice in the menu, may be purchased tinned at food stores. In this case, garnish the chow mein with shredded toasted almonds. Peanut candy is on sale at Chinese restaurants.

All Measurements Are Level

Recipes Serve Four

### Beef with Peppers

Wash 4 large green peppers and remove the seeds. Cut each pepper into 8 pieces. Place in a sauce pan. Cover with boiling water, boil 4 min. and drain. Cut 1 lb. well-trimmed flank steak into small, thin pieces. Melt 1 tbs. meat fat or margarine in a good-sized frying pan. Put in the beef and saute until light brown on both sides. Add 1 tbs. sugar, then the peppers; saute 1 min. longer. Add 1 c. soup stock or water drained from cooking potatoes, 1/2 tsp. pepper, 1/4 tsp. monosodium glutamate (optional), 1/4 tsp. salt and soy sauce (optional). Cover and cook 8 min. Blend 2 tbs. cornstarch with 1 tbs. cold water and stir in. Cook and stir 2 min. Serve with rice.

### Trick of the Chef

For new flavour and texture, stir crisp tinned noodles into scrambled eggs, 1/4 cup for four persons.





## THE ROYAL FAMILY

—accessories  
before the fact!

LONDON.

THOSE charming accessories before the fact, the Royal Family, won't be able to listen and dance to certain American songs any more because the companies which own the copyrights are finally taking legal action.

The royal family is not alone to blame for a situation in which many fashionable handlenders have been driven to various underhanded dodges to obtain the music of such restricted scores as "South Pacific" and "Kiss Me Kate."

Society in general has been demanding the latest American show tunes. And the smartest night clubs have been heeding the requests—even though it is illegal for this music to be played until the copyright owners release it.

### TUNES GET STALE

Chappells and its subsidiaries, which control much of the musical comedy and revue music coming here from America, don't want the music played until the shows themselves open here for fear the tunes will be stale even before the first curtain goes up.

They had a battle to preserve the score of "Annie Get Your Gun" and "Oklahoma" from this fate, and sent out frequent warnings to handlenders about "South Pacific" and "Kiss Me Kate."

But what is a part-time handlender to do? The King and Queen like the Cole Porter score for "Kiss Me Kate" and have requested about 20 numbers as "Faithful In My Fashion."

Princess Margaret likes to dance to the songs from "South Pacific"—"One Enchanted Evening" is a favourite of hers.

Up to now the publishers have blandly claimed to have no knowledge of the playing of the restricted music when the Royal Family were the requesters.

But in music trade papers recently was printed a letter from the handlender of the Bagatelle Club, which Princess Margaret frequents, promising never to play the South Pacific songs again and to pay damages for any infringement of copyright.

### THEIR DILEMMA

Technically the people who used handlenders into playing banned music share the guilt although no one has ever distinguished the point before the law.

But the pity of the West End is being lavished only on the handlenders—a royal command on the one hand and a lawsuit on the other.

### Fish made



this stamp

A FISHERMAN runs into the sea and casts his net. Fish are so plentiful he catches them in shallow water, without a boat. This is one of the exciting scenes in a fine new set of stamps from Barbados—British sugar-cane colony in the West Indies.

It is the first set from Barbados in the new dollar currency. This was introduced in several West India islands to unify exchange rates and so speed trade.

Part-set of six costs 1s. 6d. British colonies are always worth buying.—J. A. A.

### ROBERT MUSEL

tells of the dilemma of handlenders, who face a Royal Command on one hand and a lawsuit on the other.



SELLING valuable domestic silverware in London this month: 70-year-old Baroness Burton, Lady Burton, a baroness in her own right, married in 1922 Major W. E. M. Burton, sugar magnate Lord Lyle, absent because of illness from the Society of Individualists luncheon to Sir Ernest Benn, at Bournemouth recovering from a severe chill.

### Models in motion

WAX models, to display women's garments in shop windows, are now being made with hidden electric motors to sway the arms and waist.

Is accompanying sell music the next step?

### Your private property

NOT long ago, London Transport extended the tube to Newbury Park, Land adjoining the old LNER station was taken to make a new and safer approach from the road.

But the railways and all belonging to them are now the public's property.

"Yes," says London Transport, "but primary purpose of the notice is to distinguish the forecourt from the public footpath adjoining, which is under the local authority. It is to prevent unlawful trespass."

### Waste?

TWO THOUSAND firms are on a special mailing list of the Board of Trade. They have asked for information each time the official selectors are used on import regulations.

One London firm has sent me the latest posters received from the Import Licensing Branch. One dealt with cheese, the other with crude oil in barrels.

"A typical example of Government waste," comment the firm. "We are a perfumery company."

(London Express Service)



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## WRECKED BRITAIN

HEINRICH Himmler, Adolf Hitler's police chief, almost pulled off the biggest counterfeit plot on record. Had it succeeded, it might have wrecked Britain's currency during World War II.

The plot was spoiled just in time by the Allied march into Germany. Even so, some of the forged pound sterling notes found their way around the world and are still turning up, five years later.

## MAKING A BANK EASY ON THE EYE

By JAMES B. SCOTT

AN energetic 61-year-old business man whose schooling went only as far as the sixth grade is busy giving banks around the country a face-lifting.

Joseph Bernard Gander's first profession I contact with banks was 38 years ago when he began peddling tellers' cages, lobby desks and other bank fixtures.

While making his selling rounds, Gander got some impressions about banks and their interiors which wouldn't wear off.

"The bank atmosphere was all wrong in those days," he recalls. "People thought the president of a bank was doing them a big favour if he let them talk to him for a minute."

Gander said the banks—with their gloomy, forbidding appearance that seemed to tell the customer, "Transact your business and get out"—were "way off the beam."

### Business Grows

The young, foresighted business man decided some changes were in order. Accordingly, he organised the Bank Building and Equipment Corporation of America here and eventually had some 400 persons working for him. They included engineers, decorators, salesmen, construction men, electricians, a public relations staff, a sculptor, a muralist and wood and marble workers.

Then Gander began a nationwide tour, selling bankers on his idea of a "new look" for banks; the need of a "homey," cheerful place of business with real customer appeal.

His Bank Building and Equipment Corporation began remodeling what Gander terms the "great, marble-barns—horse and buggy banks."

Now with some 2,100 banks either built or remodelled by his firm, Gander has figured prominently in much of the bank construction in the United States.

A Gander-built project doesn't tolerate such bank building sandbars as bars, heavy chandeliers, Greek temple-like exteriors (he uses as little marble and bronze as is possible), high ceilings, dimly-lit tellers' cages and cuspidors.

### Bars Removed

A Pana, Ill., teller once complained to Gander that the bars around his cage made him feel depressed. Now Gander's banks have the tellers working behind counters that reach 13 inches at the top. The teller conducts his business with the customer through glass windows instead of bars.

By carefully blending eye-pleasing colour schemes with brightly-lighted interior layouts, Gander says his banks have a "living room atmosphere. No more the bank executive's cloistered in drab, secluded quarters any more. Gander has them working in modernised, air-conditioned offices out in the open where they readily can be seen and contacted by the public.

Gander says his "new look" project has met with almost universal acclaim since the war because bankers are learning at last that cheerful quarters are not only desirable, but are a competitive necessity.

Himmler hit upon the forgery scheme as the best means of providing pound notes for Germany's agents and at the same time breaking Britain's currency.

He assembled 140 of the best engravers and printers among Nazi Germany's slave labourers and put them to work engraving plates exactly matching British £5 to £100 notes, duplicating water-marked note paper and preparing matching inks.

Altogether £200,000,000 (\$300,000,000 at that time) worth of pound notes were printed.

Himmler planned to drop them over London from planes to flood the capital with worthless paper money.

Before he could carry out the plan, American, British and Soviet troops marched into Germany.

The plant was moved hastily to a cave in Austria, then destroyed along with most of the forged notes in an attempt to keep the plot secret.

Himmler executed most of the slave labourers who had worked in the plant. Some escaped or were liberated by the allies, however, and told the story.

The bureau for the combating of falsifications, a branch of the international police commission with headquarters at The Hague, has been assigned the task of trying to remove the so-called "Himmler notes" from circulation.

Anton Adler, head of the bureau, says that the notes are sent into his bureau by police from all over the world. Mostly they come from Europe, but some have been found as far away as Argentina and Australia.

"Heaven knows how many millions are still in circulation," he said.

Italian infantrymen march past the reviewing stand on Rome's Via Del Impero during the fourth anniversary of Italy's becoming a republic. More than 15,000 men of the country's armed forces and police participated in the parade which celebrated the event.

## His stare can knock down vase

A MAN who apparently was able to knock down an object such as a vase by staring at it is being sought by research workers who lost trace of him during the war.

The man is a German and lives somewhere near Munich but the experimenters said they were reluctant to make public his name for fear the publicity might frighten him away from further study.

Scientists both in Paris and in London were interested in the man before the war and in both places he was able to displace an object placed well outside his reach by going into a sort of trance marked by abnormally rapid breathing.

Although elaborate precautions were taken at the time to ensure that there was no fraud, the British experimenters, members of a private study group, said they wanted to repeat the tests with the most modern electronic detection equipment.

Blocked by RAYS In one pre-war instance in Paris an infra-red ray field was set up between the man and the object he was trying to displace. Although he did not succeed in knocking it down or moving it, instruments showed he had achieved a marked disturbance in the infra-red ray field.

That it was decided, could have been caused by some force "extraneous" or pulled out by "the man."

French physicists were deeply interested but the man claimed the experiments were wearing him out and went back to Germany. He was planning to return when the war broke out.

## EMPIRE CABLES

## Let Anger Day be Wash Day

JOHANNESBURG.—Five thousand police, with Sten guns and tear-gas bombs, mounted on radio trucks, stood by in South Africa's cities when coloured workers began their "Day of Anger."

Troops and naval detachments, hidden in barracks and warehouses, were ready of the feared strike points of the 24-hour strike on the Rand and in Durban.

A call had gone out to 2,000,000 workers to refuse to do any work for white employers, in protest and mourning for 13 killed in Rand May Day riots.

The day of "non-violent anger" also protests against two Acts newly rushed through Parliament: the "Ghetto Law," which segregates blacks, browns, and white populations, and the anti-Communist "Gesagab Law."

Justice Minister C. R. Swart promised: "Police will protect people of all races who wish to work."

White women and children were advised to stay at home behind barred doors, the women to do their own Monday washing.

### Chilly chinchillas

SYDNEY.—Frank Roberts, of Sydney, left seven pairs of chinchillas in England the day war began.

Now he wants to bring them to Australia to start a £50 fur-breeding farm. But the Government says: "No. Your chinchillas might wreck the £250 million Snowy River hydro-electric scheme."

Says C. F. Ashton, Agricultural Department official: "They might escape and choose to live on just the vegetation that would lead to soil erosion, change the Snowy River watershed, and imperil the power scheme. Look what happened with rabbits."

Descendants of a pair of rabbits brought out by a Dutchman now cost Australia £120 million a year.

### Embarrassing

SYDNEY: Britain's touring Rugby League team was almost embarrassed when Australian supporter Francis Newman presented them with a huge bunch of chrysanthemums. Francis was really embarrassed when the magistrate later fined him £7 for picking them from a public park.

### Migrant record

CANBERRA.—Australia announced a record immigration of 91,500 people in the last six months, most of them production-drive workers from Britain.

## THE SPEAKERS COOLED OFF

RICH Riemenschneider found a way to cool off six panel speakers who talked too long. The panel was answering questions at a convention here. Each member was taking five to 10 minutes to answer to each question. The audience became restive.

Riemenschneider ordered a bowl of ice cubes and gave each speaker a cube to hold while speaking. The average speaking time dropped to one minute.

"It's a variation of an old Egyptian custom," said Riemenschneider. "The Egyptians made speakers stand on one leg."

## Moving From No-Man's Land



Shopkeepers in Berlin carry away their showcases and other belongings after the Soviet Sector police announced they would have to leave or get East Berlin permission to stay. Jurisdiction of the building in the background has been disputed since the city split into east and west sectors, as it is located on the city's dividing line.

## America, Here We Come



Eight selected King Scouts give out with an exuberant farewell to a bagpipe accompaniment before sailing from Southampton, England. They were en route to the U.S. to represent Britain at the 40th anniversary of the founding of the Boy Scout movement in America. The camp is being staged at historic Valley Forge, Pa., and 50,000 American Scouts are attending.

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THERE are days when the House of Commons is in a bad mood and the particular Tuesday which I am about to describe was one of them. For one thing it was hot and the place was jammed to the ceiling for we were having a vote of confidence debate on the Schuman Plan to unify British coal and steel production with that of Western Europe.

Another cause of irritation was the fact that we had recently had two all night-sittings on the Finance Bill. If you have never seen dawn break over the Thames or never heard the first omnibus rumble in the early hours across Westminster Bridge then it is worth while to sit on the Terrace and take them in. But after fifteen years of Parliament the novelty for me has worn off. I prefer to leave the dawn to poets and to take it for granted.

One advantage THERE is, of course, one advantage in driving home at 6 a.m. You do not have to crawl in a traffic jam. But on the whole it is a foolish business and we were very angry with the Whips, and particularly with Herbert Morrison who is the leader of the House. Finance should not be discussed in the grisly hours of the morning when even graveyards yaw.

And now we were plunged into the Schuman Plan debate when few of us had made up our minds whether the Socialists were right or wrong in turning a cold shoulder to the overtures of la Belle France. Mr Churchill, however, had no doubts and sent us into action with strict orders to blast the Socialists into eternity or beyond.

With only two hours to go before the vital vote was taken (the Liberals and Tories formed a temporary coalition) Mr Churchill rose to wind up the case for our side. Opposite him sat Sir Stafford Cripps with his nose tilted disdainfully in the air, as if to say that Churchill's punches could not hurt him. Next to Cripps sat Mr Attlee looking unusually excited for him. In fact as Churchill's oratorical artillery gathered round the Prime Minister pay to it. Instead the Minister of State, Kenneth Younger, kept coming to and fro like a ferry, delivering scraps of paper which the Prime Minister studied with obvious intensity.

Finally Churchill sat down to the loud cheers of nearly all his followers and Attlee rose to a full-throated roar from his supporters. But to the astonishment of the crowded benches he said: "I ask leave of the House to interrupt the debate in order that I can make a statement of great importance." The House sat up with a jerk. The Korean business had

broken out only two days before and we sensed that such a remarkable break with normal procedure could only be on a matter of extreme urgency.

Item by item the Prime Minister read the announcement of President Truman. At long last the Security Council of the United Nations had worked as its authors intended. The Republic of Korea had been attacked by forces from North Korea, and the Republic had asked for armed assistance. The issue which the League of Nations would never face in the Hitler era had been put squarely before the United Nations in the Stalin era.

No shirking PRESIDENT Truman had not shirked the issue. We were told by Mr Attlee that United States air and sea forces had been ordered to give the Korean Republic forces cover and support. Further than that President Truman had informed the world that an American Fleet had been ordered to Formosa to prevent any attack upon that island by the Chinese Communist Army.

Nor did the decisions end there. The American forces in the Philippines were to be strengthened, and a military mission sent to the French and the associated states of Indochina. We listened in tense silence but gradually the enthusiasm of the British MP's took form. There were cheers from both sides of the House, cheers that marked a tremendous moment in history. At last the forces of the United States, whose patience can be exhausted. No wonder when Mr Attlee resumed his speech on the Schuman plan the debate seemed unimportant and outmoded.

Of necessity I am writing this article with no knowledge of events beyond the declaration of President Truman, but whatever the immediate or even the ultimate result this is something that raises the dignity of man.

Many of us at Westminster recalled that day in the spring of 1939 when Hitler, against his generals' advice, took the desperate gamble of marching into the demilitarised zone of the Rhineland. With his cunning legalistic mind the Fuehrer knew that the German Army had done nothing more than invade Germany territory, and that he had thus avoided any direct affront to another nation. Would the Democratic Governments of France and Britain send soldiers to their deaths to drive Germany out of German territory?

Anthony Eden, the youngest Foreign Secretary in many years, informed the House that the League of Nations would meet at once to consider this flagrant defiance of the Peace Treaty. The French General Staff advocated immediate mobilisation providing Britain would march with them. But the League of Nations, that dream born of Woodrow Wilson's idealism, that toothless exponent of collective insecurity, had become the great alibi for the political conscience.

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under-water tanks or holes in the ground, hiding from the terrible Cripps. With so many people lying by the drop and Cripps will have to find more taxes, even if he has to go after the children's pocket-money. In the end everybody will be under ground or under water. There will be nobody to tax and Cripps will be alone with the last bit of bread and lettuce in his pocket, preaching in an empty cathedral, all his instructions for taxation satisfied, and happy at last.

Doctor's casebook AMONG the many doctor columnists now writing for the newspapers who is the public's favourite? Why, the old original Dr Gubbins, ace quack of Fleet Street. Here are two of his replies to readers with just enough strength to hold a pen.

Under ground IN Japan, nobody will invite a tax collector to his home. Japanese hotel proprietors will provide a tax collector with food or drink unless it is poisoned. In a village near Bombay a tax collector's house was burned down and his wife thrown in the river. In Lake Shaver, Indiana, U.S., a Mr Paul Abbott is lying submerged in an oxygen tank 10ft. by 6ft. He will stay there until taxation is reduced. In tolerant Britain Stafford Cripps, the most unpopular tax collector of all time, is not barred from the home of his friends.

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# Democracy Faces Its Biggest Trial

By BEVERLEY BAXTER, M.P.

Never has the Oriental cunning of the Muscovite been more clearly demonstrated than in dealing with partitioned Germany. Stalin knows, as does every Western politician, that the cry of "Unite the Fatherland" is deep in the heart of every German. Every Minister serving in the Governments of either of the two zones knows that some day that cry will ring across the skies. And just as Abraham Lincoln sent hundreds of thousands of men to their death to preserve the Union so the Germans will not flinch at civil war to restore their union.

Works to plan THE Communist is now like an old dog that cannot learn new tricks and, therefore, we have a certain advantage in forecasting his next moves. He works to a plan which deviates perhaps in detail but never seriously in design.

Coming of age I VENTURED in my last London Letter to say that the biggest event of the last hundred years was America's coming of age. I could not imagine what within a fortnight we would see America raise her hand and say that aggression must come no further. We cannot bring the dead years back to life but think what this would have meant fifteen years ago when the demagogue of Berchtesgaden was planning the destruction of civilisation.

Firmly put THE League met at the Court of St James and I went along to see history in the making. Litvinov, the Russian Ambassador to London, looked like a bespectacled Mr Pickwick and seemed to be watching the antics of the Westerners with an amused tolerance, and perhaps contempt. Eden put the case against Germany without bit-

gunpowder plot BUT this is where Stalin has blundered with his gunpowder plot in Korea. The Allies will not move out of Germany now, not until the threat of Russian Communism imperialism is contained within the Russian zone. Yet the Western world will not retain the initiative if the U.S.A. is left to police the world almost alone. This is the chance now to give teeth to the United Nations. Now is the hour to create an international police force which will be able to act with world authority. I know the difficulties but it can be done and should be done. Britain, which policed the world for a hundred years, will gladly plan but it would require units from the Dominions as well. Admittedly New Zealand and Australia are nearer to the Communist threat than Canada and will be eager to participate, but this is a world problem and it is difficult to believe that Canada would wish to stand aside in the creation of a world police force. A new and dangerous era is opening before us and it needs bold minds to grapple with it.

Long struggle A LONG struggle lies ahead, a struggle which will require vast patience and a fixed purpose. As for the eruption and Russia intends that it shall remain so. The Western world must recognise the just aspirations of the Asiatics while ensuring that Communism does not ride to power on their backs. Truly our government is facing a testing period in which democracy itself will be on trial.

Stalin is wiser HITLER knew that he could never afford a failure on his rise to power. That is why he chose the Jews who had no army or navy as his first victims of his hate, and marked down helpless Austria. But the revolutionary can never let things stand still. That is what drove Napoleon from conquest to conquest until his diseased vanity led him into the vast blunder of invading Russia. It was the same with Hitler who could never rest upon his successes but had to follow his star even though it led to the flames of Valhalla.

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# SIX DAYS BEHIND ENEMY LINE

## Lieutenant leads four men to safety

Korea, July 11.  
Lieutenant Harold E. Dill, East Point, Maryland, led four men to the safety of the American lines today after six days behind the North Korean lines.

The men, who had been given up for lost, were rescued by South Koreans three days ago and were led through the lines.

### SIDELIGHT—1

## Yaks with Russian markings

Two Yak fighters which attacked a slow flying American liaison plane over the Korean battlefield on Tuesday, bore red stars with no other markings, according to a pilot interviewed by the Scripps Howard writer, Clyde Farnsworth, at the U.S. advance headquarters in Korea.

The North Korean planes normally carried a red star on a white background while Russian planes carry only the red star.

The pilot, Lieutenant John Stanton of Exeter, Missouri, told Farnsworth that two Yaks attacked his tiny unarmed L-17 over Umsong but failed to hit him, then passed about 50 feet near his plane in echelon.

Stanton said, "They were marked with the red star insignia. It was just a plain red star. No stripes or anything else."

He said he was at 3,000 feet when he heard shots and saw the planes. Farnsworth did not specify whether the Yaks were of the jet type which General MacArthur reported in Tuesday's communique. — United Press.

### SIDELIGHT—2

## Atrocities referred to commission

Washington, July 11.  
The State Department spokesman, Lincoln White, said today that whole matter of atrocities against United States troops in Korea was being studied by the Department's lawyers.

He said all information the Department had regarding atrocities came from the Defense Department and the last figure received was of seven soldiers allegedly executed.

Mr. White gave that figure when one reporter said he had heard the figure of 10 victims of atrocities. Mr. White called the reporters' attention to the fact that an International Law Commission of the United Nations at present was meeting in Geneva to codify the Nuremberg principles.

He said the Commission was composed of prominent international lawyers who were acting not as representatives of their governments but as recognized leaders in the field of International Law. — United Press.

### SIDELIGHT—4

## No big tanks seen yet

Washington, July 11.  
An Army spokesman said at a briefing today that there was no confirmation that 60-ton tanks were being used by the North Korean forces.

The spokesman added that the largest Russian built tank this country knows about is the 50-ton Joseph Stalin which mounts an 88 mm gun. He said there was no information indicating that these were in use in Korea.

An Air Force spokesman could not shed light on Tokyo communique referring to the sighting of Yak-16 jet planes. — United Press.

## Pilgrimage From Rio To Rome



Pictured on arrival at London Airport by B.O.A.C. Argonaut liner are members of a party of 35 Brazilian Students from the Colégio dos Riscas, Rio de Janeiro. Accompanied by three Catholic Sisters, the students are making a pilgrimage to Rome. They are to fly to Amsterdam to visit their parent college.

## TYDINGS SAYS "IT'S SERIOUS"

Washington, July 11.  
After a secret meeting of the Senate Armed Services Committee today had heard General Omar Bradley, Chairman of the Chiefs of Staff, Senator Tydings told reporters, "Things are very serious and it would be a disservice to our people to give them any other impression."

Senator Tydings, Chairman of the Committee, quoted General Bradley as saying that the United States and United Nations forces faced an extremely difficult campaign in Korea and that it might be some weeks before the entire problem would be known.

General Bradley was also quoted as saying that American forces in Korea would be joined by ground troops from other members of the United Nations.

Senator Tydings (Democrat, Maryland) said that General Bradley gave that information to the Committee during a two-hour closed door session. Senator Tydings would not name the other United Nations members.

He would say only that other members of the United Nations have offered ground forces and that these offers have been accepted.

NO COMMENT  
Senator Tydings declined any comment when asked specifically whether Chinese Nationalist troops would go to Korea.

The State Department has maintained a cool attitude towards that Taipei offer on the theory that use of Chinese Nationalist might invite intervention in Korea by the Chinese Communists.

General Bradley was called before the Senate group to give it an up to the minute report on the Korean situation.

In advance of his appearance some informed Senators said that they understood that a 100,000-man increase in the American armed forces was planned, to cost an initial \$350,000,000. — Reuter.

## Strachey speech subbed by PM

London, July 11.  
The Prime Minister, Mr. Clement Attlee, today repudiated the words in a speech made by the War Minister, Mr. John Strachey, on the Schuman Plan.

Mr. Attlee told the House of Commons that Mr. Strachey "went wrong" in the words he used which might wrongly have been taken as imputing certain motives to the French Government.

He was speaking after Mr. Strachey had given an explanation of a disputed passage in a speech at Colchester on July 1 in which the Opposition alleged that the word "plot" he used referred to the Schuman Plan. Mr. Strachey denied this, saying that it referred to Opposition manoeuvres.

Mr. Attlee said that in so far as Mr. Strachey dealt with the features of the undemocratic supra-national authority, it was completely in line with Government policy.

REGRETS TONE  
But in so far as he suggested motives, he was wrong and Mr. Strachey had explained that he himself considered he went wrong.

Mr. Winston Churchill, the Opposition leader, said that Mr. Strachey's statement was "wholly unsatisfactory." He did not think anyone could accept Mr. Strachey's assurance that the word "plot" did not refer to the Schuman Plan.

Mr. Strachey had earlier said he regretted the tone of some of the expressions he used about the Schuman Plan in his recent speech, but he denied that the use of the word "plot" referred to the Schuman Plan for integrating European coal and steel.

It referred to Opposition "manoeuvres" in Parliament, he said.

Mr. Strachey said he stood by the essential point of his speech at Colchester—that he could not accept handling over Britain's two basic industries to the control of a body not responsible to governments.

## MALIK CANCELS PASSAGE HOME

## Is Russia ready for peace move?

Lake Success, July 11.  
The Soviet delegate to the United Nations, Jacob Malik, cancelled his passage for home today which is an indication that Russia is keeping the door open for a peace move in Korea.

Mr. Malik long ago announced his intention of spending some time in Russia. He cancelled reservations for his party aboard the Polish liner Batory, due to sail today.

There were growing indications that a genuine peace move might emerge from the exchange of diplomatic notes now in progress between Britain and Russia. Britain asked Russia why the Kremlin had not replied to London's note paralleling one from Washington asking the Soviet to use its influence to halt the fighting in Korea.

Russia replied in effect that the British had made no proposal to end the war and asked for "elucidation."

Diplomats here believed Russia ignored the American note and chose to reply to the British because Britain was not as directly involved in the Korean fighting as the United States.

They pointed out that Russia, in its series of communications to the United Nations, had never mentioned the Security Council's resolution of June 25—the historic Sunday action which called on North Korea to cease fire immediately and withdraw its forces to the 38th Parallel.

### CONDEMNATION

All the notes to the world organization from the Kremlin have condemned only the subsequent resolutions of June 27, which ordered United Nations fighting aid to South Korea, and of July 7, which authorized the United States to designate General MacArthur as Supreme Commander of the Allied forces in Korea and to place the forces under the United Nations flag.

There was widespread speculation that Russia might be agreeable, if properly approached by Britain or some other power, on by the United Nations itself, to return to the pre-war status quo.

They could tell the North Koreans to comply with the Council's order to stop fighting and so home.

The situation was called analogous with the crisis in the spring of 1949, when Russia at first refused to negotiate the lifting of the Berlin blockade. — United Press.

## Article Was Seditious

Lagos, July 11.  
Nigeria's Supreme Court today imposed a fine of £100 on the Service Press Limited, for the publication of seditious writings.

The charges related to the publication of an article called "We Want to Remove the Government" in the organ of the Nigerian youth movement, the Nigeria Youth Movement. The defence submitted that the Crown had failed to discharge the onus upon it to prove that the publication of the article was seditious. — Reuter.

## Radio Hongkong

H.K.T. 5.55, "Hong Kong Calling"—Programme Summary: 6.00, "Here's How"—Featuring: Michael Howard. (London Relay): 6.30, George Boulanger and His Orchestra. 6.40, Patsy Valenzuela at the Piano. (Studio): 7.00, "Lucky Dip" Variety Request Programme. Presented by Pauline Spence. (Studio): 8.00, World News and News Analysis. (London Relay): 8.15, "Orchestra of the Week"—Czech Philharmonic Orchestra. 8.45, Vocal Gems from "Kiss Me Kate" (Columbia). 9.00, "From the Editor's Desk." 9.15, Weather Report. 9.11, Mark Weber and His Orchestra. 9.30, "The Starway." A Radio Thriller by John Whiting. (Studio): 10.00, "French Cabaret." 10.30, "Music Dining in the Marsh." With Richard Murdoch and Kenneth Horne. (London Relay): 11.00, Radio News Reel. (London Relay): 11.15, Weather Report. 11.16, Late News Summary. 11.20, "Goodnight Music." Good Save the King! 11.30, Close Down.

## SIDE GLANCES By Galbraith



"So you can't make fudge and you don't know any cowboy stories! Young lady, you won't go far in the baby-sitting business!"

## The wounded hollered for help and

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## GRIM STORY FROM FRONT

Over The Sea of Japan, July 11.  
Nine wounded Americans straight from the battlefield and lying on stretchers lashed to the floor of this Dakota, do not have the feeling of being lost anymore.

Only a few hours ago, when they fell to enemy fire in the bloody turmoil of battle in South Korea, they expected to be finished off like horses with broken legs.

A 19-year-old medical corps youth just told me that he had fainted death for three-and-a-half hours after machine-gun bullets ripped into his ambulance jeep.

During that time the invaders ambushed three jeep-loads of Americans falling back.

"I could hear the wounded right close holler for help, followed by a burst of fire that ended their pain," the youngster said. When darkness came he crawled painstakingly back to the American lines.

A lanky sergeant, with only a bullet through the knee-cap, said that his platoon had dug in on a rocky hilltop and were told to hold it until their last bullet.

Swarming Communists attacked them on three sides with machine-gun and mortar fire. The defenders had only one machine-gun and a bazooka.

For five hours the Americans held on. The sights were shot off the sergeant's rifle. Then 30 men made a run for it down-hill across a shallow stream with North Koreans hot on their heels, firing madly. Only the sergeant was hit. He fell in the stream but two of his men dragged him under cover.

Last night the sergeant had his first meal for 48 hours. On the next stretcher, a soldier was twisting in agony. "He was not hit. He's got combat shock," whispered the medical orderly. — Reuter.

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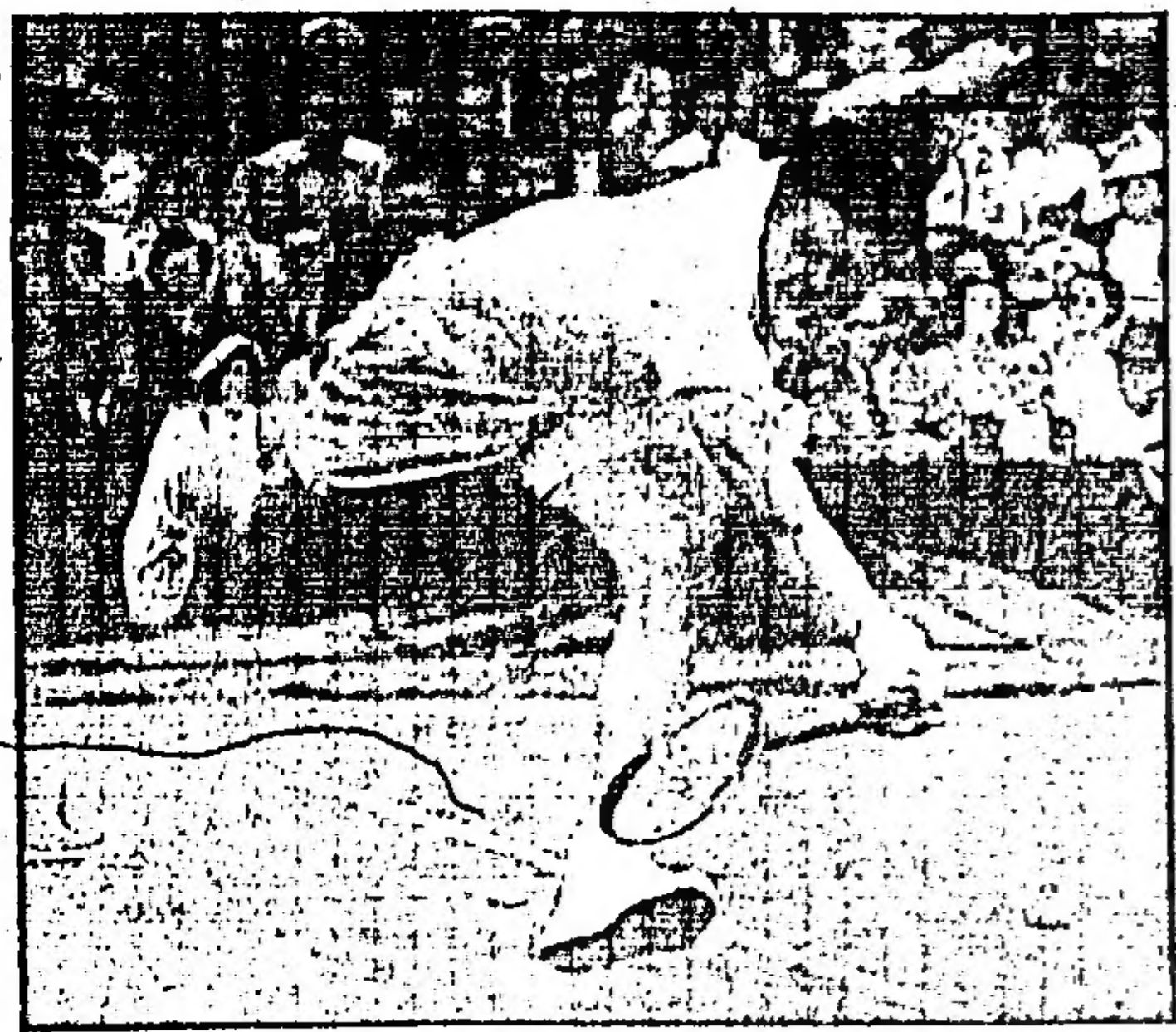
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## DETERMINED



S. Davidson, of Sweden, caught by the camera in a fine study of determined retrieving against Vic Seixas at Wimbledon. Davidson held Seixas to four sets.—Central Press.

## Crowd's Demonstration At Wimbledon Was Unfair On Players

SAYS ARCHIE QUICK

That demonstration by the public against the Wimbledon Lawn Tennis Championship officials on the opening day of the second week was as unfortunate as it was unnecessary. There is a headline margin to spare in the programme and the smallest delay can throw out the schedule so much as to prevent the finals being possible on the last Saturday.

It was understandable, therefore, that the Championship Committee, was, as ever, particularly anxious to get matches on court during a lull in a day of incessant rain.

## LEAGUE TENNIS

## Kowloon Docks Hold KCC

Kowloon Docks Club scored their first point of the season in the KCC Division yesterday when they held KCC to a draw.

E. G. D. Humphrey and D. Monmouth put up a creditable show, claiming 2½ sets for their side.

E. H. Clark and G. H. Hinchey (KCC) lost to J. D. Fenton and A. Zimmerman 1-6, 6-2 to Grose and Lapsley 6-2, lost to Fenton and Chao 4-6.

L. Wilson and J. P. Bicknell beat Fenton and Zimmerman 6-4, lost to Grose and Lapsley 3-6, lost to Fenton and Chao 6-3.

E. G. D. Humphrey and D. Monmouth beat Fenton and Zimmerman 6-0, drew with Grose and Lapsley 6-6, beat Fenton and Chao 6-2.

The key-match in the Ladies' "A" Division between KCC and USRC, which was to decide whether KCC would earn a final play-off against the CRC, was postponed on account of the sudden condition of the ground.

## Presents Heaped On Brazilian Soccer Stars

Rio de Janeiro, July 11.

More and more honours, presents and cash awards are being promised to the Brazilian team if they carry off the World Soccer Cup.

It was announced today that the Brazilian Organising Committee was promising each player 50,000 cruzeiros if they are successful. Then many radio stations are asking the public to subscribe to a "victory bonus," the money received to be divided among the team should they win.

A jewellery shop has offered the leading Brazilian goal-keeper, which seems certain to be Ademir, a gold medal valued at 6,000 cruzeiros.

There seems to be a doubt about the fitness of the Brazilian left-winger, Mancoske, as he is still suffering from strained leg muscles. If he does not play, Ariano will come in as a substitute, otherwise the team will be the same as that which beat Sweden.

Brazil is due to clash with Spain on Thursday in what is considered by football experts to be the key game of the world series.—Reuter.

## CRC OFFICERS FOR 1950-1951

At the Annual General Meeting of the Chinese Recreation Club held last week in the Club's premises, the following officers were elected for the current season:

Chairman, Mr. Leo Wai-tong; Joint Hon. Sec., Dr. George Chao and Mr. Choy Tin-look; Treasurer, Mr. Li Tsun-kit; Ground Steward, Mr. Tsui Wai-pul; and Mr. Au Kam-moony Tennis Convenor, Mr. Ho Ka-lau; Bar Convenor, Mr. Chung Wing-kwong; Club-house Convenor, Mr. Wong Chuen-ting; Social Welfare Convenor, Mr. Daniel Chan; Amusement Convenor, Mr. Tsui Yung-pul.

Patrons of the Club are Sir Man-iam Lo, The Hon. Mr. Todd, Mr. Owen-Hughes, the Hon. T.N. Chai, the Hon. B.N. Chai, Mr. W. W. Lo, Mr. Yu Su-wing, Mr. Hui Chung-chi.

# JOHNNY WARDLE THE FIRST TO TAKE 100 WICKETS

London, July 11.

Johnny Wardle, the Yorkshire slow left-arm spinner, became the first bowler to take 100 wickets this season when helping Yorkshire beat Notts today by an innings and 124 runs.

Heavy morning rain followed by a strong sun at Nottingham left conditions just right for Wardle and E. Leadbeater and during the day Notts lost 17 wickets for 151 runs. The home batsmen had no defence against the turning ball.

Following on with arrears of 210 runs they were all out inside two hours for 86 runs in their lowest total of the season. Leadbeater had a match analysis of 11 wickets for 162 runs and Wardle returned seven wickets for 87 runs.

Yorkshire, the joint Champions, now lead by eight points from Warwickshire, who encountered little difficulty at Birmingham in completing a double victory over Middlesex.

**MATCH RESULTS**  
The results of today's first-class matches were as follows:  
At Birmingham: Warwickshire beat Middlesex by 10 wickets. Middlesex 200 and 107 (Sharp 65 not out, Pritchard, right-arm fast bowler, four for 48). Warwickshire 311 and 27 for no wicket.

At Lancashire: Lancashire beat Gloucestershire 105 (Cripp 68, Lever, right-arm medium bowler, six for 50) and 85 for one (Tom Gravney 59 not out).

At Nottingham: Yorkshire beat Notts by an innings and 124 runs. Yorkshire 502, Notts 292 (Hartfield 78, Stocks 70 not out, Leadbeater, right-arm leg-break bowler, six for 66) and 86 (Leadbeater five for 66, Wardle, left-arm slow bowler, four for 17).

At Worthing: Surrey beat Somerset by eight wickets. Surrey 416 for four declared and 81 for two. Somerset 100 and 300 (Trenlett 61, Rogers 60 not out, Cornford, right-arm fast medium bowler, five for 67).

At Manchester: Derbyshire beat Lancashire by 93 runs. Derbyshire 187 and 273 (Revell 109, Smith 59, Tattersall, right-arm medium offspin bowler, five for 72). Lancashire 223 and 144 (Hamer, three for 20).

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## University Match Ends In A Draw

London, July 11.

The University cricket match ended at Lords today in a draw, the final scores being Cambridge University 200 and 193 for seven declared and Oxford 169 and 122 for five.

Faced with the task of making 225 runs in 130 minutes to beat Cambridge, Oxford gave up the attempt after the loss of B. Roobven, at 37 runs, and though D. B. Carr, the Oxford captain, hit 55 runs in 65 minutes, the match ended lamely.

Some criticism was made of G.H.G. Doggart's action of leaving his declaration for though it meant that Oxford had to score at nearly two runs a minute it also left little time for the Cambridge attack to dismiss their rivals.

**DIVECHA STARS**  
In the morning R. V. Divecha, the Indian bowler, accomplished the grand performance of capturing the wickets of J. G. Dewes, Doggart and A. H. J. Russell in 12 overs for 23 runs and he finished with four wickets for 82 runs.

P. B. H. May and M. H. Stevenson added 61 runs in a 90-minute stand for the fifth Cambridge wicket, which enabled the Light Blues to declare at 193 runs for seven wickets, giving them a lead of 22½ runs.

May scored a useful 30 runs and Stevenson was not out with 64 runs to his credit. Clive Van Ryneveld received a cut to an eye from a stroke by D. S. Sheppard, but returned to the field after having stitches inserted.—Reuter.

**Malayans Delayed**  
The Sirhanas, by which the Malayan University team are travelling, has been delayed and will not arrive at Hongkong until Saturday.

All functions, therefore, in honour of the visitors, fixed for today, tomorrow and Friday are cancelled.

## Northants Force A Draw With The W. Indians

Northampton, July 11.

Despite rain during the lunch interval today, which made the pitch awkward for a while, Northampton easily forced a draw with the West Indies touring team here.

The County batted splendidly when forced to follow on 179 runs behind and when the game ended they were 27 runs ahead with nine wickets in hand.

Dennis Brookes and Bert Oldfield gave their side another sound start with a stand of 62 runs and an often changed West Indies attack was manœuvred in a second wicket partnership between Brookes and "Jack" Livingston, the Australian left-hander.

Driving and pulling powerfully, Livingston reached 50 runs in 55 minutes and the partnership passed 100 in 75 minutes.

One huge pull by the Australian off Marshall landed in an adjoining bowling green, where play was held up while the ball was retrieved.

Altogether the unbroken stand added 144 runs in 110 minutes. Livingston made 81 runs in that period, hitting two sixes and 10 fours.

**VARIED ATTACK**  
Brookes was also sound against an attack varied by seven bowlers. He batted three hours and five minutes and hit nine fours, mostly with well placed drives.

During the morning the last three County first innings wickets fell for 37 runs. Gomez, very accurate with his off-breaks, brought his figures for the innings to four wickets for 51 runs.

Northampton were all out for 252 runs against the tourists this morning to be 179 runs behind in the first innings. By lunch Northampton were 59 runs for no wicket in their second innings after a follow-on.

**FINAL SCORES**  
WEST INDIES  
1st Innings 311 runs  
(for eight declared)  
NORTHAMPTON  
1st Innings 252 runs  
NORTHAMPTON  
2nd Innings 70 runs

Brookes, not out 70  
Oldfield, not out 34  
Marshall, not out 34  
Livingston, not out 81  
Extras 12

Total (for one) 290  
The wicket fell at 62.

Bowling  
Johnson 0 1 12 0  
Worrell 15 0 22 0  
Pierce 4 0 10 0  
Marshall 22 6 71 1  
Gomez 6 1 32 0  
Hartfield 7 2 13 0  
Williams 8 1 26 0

—Reuter.

## Dissatisfaction In Pakistan Over ICC Attitude

London, July 11.

The question of Pakistan's admission to the Imperial Cricket Conference was raised in a letter to the editor of the influential London Times on Monday.

The writer of the letter, Mr. John Bingham Davidson, stated that whatever the rights and wrongs of the matter, it was to be hoped that "we shall shortly hear" from the Marylebone Cricket Club what steps they have taken to remove the cause of deep dissatisfaction felt by cricketers in Pakistan at the attitude of their request for admittance to the Imperial Cricket Conference.

**FULLEST INFORMATION**  
The MCC announced in London on June 2 that immediately information had been received that the Pakistan Board of Control for Cricket had been constituted it had given the Pakistan Cricket Board the fullest information about the method of entry for a member.

This information was given in June, 1948, and conveyed again, in December, 1948. But no reply was received until April, 1950, and until the present the requirements of the Conference rules about the proposal and seconding of Pakistan as a proposed new member state had not been complied with, the announcement added.—Reuter.

**Lausanne Tourney**  
Lausanne, July 10.  
The International Lawn tennis championships began here today.

In the first round of the men's singles, Vic Seixas (U.S.) beat H. H. Rummel (Switzerland), 6-2, 6-0. G. L. Smit (India) beat Jack Chalmers (Egypt) 6-4, 6-2, 6-1. Marcel Cœen (Egypt) beat Paul Fiehl (Switzerland), 6-3, 11-9, 6-3.—United Press.

## BRITAIN'S FASTEST?



A. R. Pinnington of Oxford (left) winning the 100 Yards Dash in the Oxford-Cambridge v. Princeton-Cornell match at the White City. Second was R. C. Hunt (Cornell) next to him and the third the British No. 1 hope for the European Games Championship at Brussels, J. C. M. Wilkinson.

Pinnington was timed in 9.8 seconds in this race and has the best mark by a British-born athlete this season with 9.7 seconds. Hunt and Wilkinson were timed in 9.9 seconds.

## American Soccer Victory May Start A New Export Market For Players

However depressing the failure of the England football team at Rio may be, the 1-0 victory of the United States unknowns in the World Cup can have nothing but good results for soccer in the States. There the game gains ground slowly. It still has a long way to go to rival baseball, but this sort of success is bound to have an effect on gates.

It may not be long, in fact, before the Americans again consider importing British players as they did some 15 years ago. Then the almighty dollar will play greater havoc with English soccer stars than all the money in Bogota.

I watched the USA players practising before the Olympic Games here two years ago and I was not impressed. It was unlikely that they have improved so much in two years as to be really worthy winners over England. Obviously this is a freak result.

Among the British players who tried their luck in the United States, but soon returned home, were the late Alec Jackson, one-time Chelsea and Scotland outside-right, Bill Harper, who kept goal for Scotland and Arsenal, Neil McBain, another Scottish international, centre of Leyton Orient, and also the late Mick O'Brien who later became manager of Q. P. Rangers.

**SURE OF MONEY**  
Any player who gets an offer to go there now will be more sure of his money, and English clubs may not be able to refuse the transfer fees they may be offered because negotiations will be on a different basis to those of the unaffiliated Colombians.

**ONE MORE TRY**  
Revealing that he landed in England with only £27 on his first visit here—after his friends had subscribed £200 for his fare—Norman Von Nida announces his retirement from big golf.

Though 35 and still as vigorous, he has had to battle for years with chronic sinus trouble, and is rarely without severe pain in his eyes. He intends to write about golf, and to give exhibitions and instruction in the Australian capitals, and to make one more try for the only big national tournament that has escaped him in Australia—the Open.

**VICTORY SPEECH**  
"Victory is good for our prestige and good for our finances. It will bring a bigger gate for the next Test match at Nottingham," said Mr. Karl. Names after the West Indies had won.

Mr. Nunes, former Test player himself, is President of the West Indies Board of Control. "Finance is important," said he, "because we need to employ several more coaches out there. Our coach, Jack Mercer, the old Glamorgan bowler, needs help. Before this tour we asked him to concentrate on our two 20-year-olds, Valentine and Ramadhin. But there are other young bowlers of great promise."

You will agree that Jack concentrated to some purpose. "JUST 20 SECONDS" Amateur Athletic Association's vice-president Harold Abraham goes about with a stop-watch in his pocket, and I was amused to find that he even found a use for it at Wimbledon. I saw him after the successful final between Frank Sedgman and Art Larsen and asked him how he had enjoyed it. His comment was: "Having seen Bill Tilden in the past, I feel there is something missing." Putting his watch out of his pocket, he said to me: "How long do you think the longest rally was in this match?" He held me 20 seconds, or about 15 strokes.

**BETWEEN JOBS?**  
Little sleep seems to be needed by racing cyclists. At 1 a.m. the other day Alfred Hill, London road racing cyclist, got out of bed to ride to Brighton and back.

Starting a record, attempt at 3 a.m. he had beaten the existing time by 7.32 a.m. He then rode home, had breakfast and got ready to go to work by 11 a.m.

He is a postman, but uses a bicycle for his deliveries. **SERVICES LOST**  
The Navy have lost a fine all round sportsman in Lieut. J. M. Peake, who has recently left the Service, of which he has held both the lawn tennis and the squash rackets championships.

At the latter game he had the reputation of being about the quickest mover ever seen in a court. This characteristic also served him well on the hockey field, where he figured in the Olympic forward line.

The Senior Service, however, has compensation for this loss in the return from foreign service of two other versatile games players in Commander R. J. L. Hammond and Lieut. Commander G. W. Vassour, both of whom have not only been very prominent in naval rugby, cricket and squash for many years, but also taken a leading part in the organisation of these games.

(London Express Service)

## MAXIMUM LIBERTY FOR WOULD-BE HKASF MEMBERS

At a fully-attended meeting of the Rules Committee held at the Football Association Office yesterday it was proposed that the name of the proposed Hongkong Amateur Athletic Federation be amended to Hongkong Amateur Sports Federation.

A policy of allowing maximum liberty to would-be members in their internal affairs marked the tenor of the meeting, as was evidenced by the careful way in which such words as "control" were dealt with.

It was however, strongly emphasised that at the same time the Federation must have enough power to be able to gain affiliation to World Organisations, though not too strong to infringe on the rights of member bodies.

The change of name of the Federation was considered necessary so that the initials may not be confused with those of the Hongkong Auxiliary Air Force.

Mr. Walter Chen was elected Chairman of the Rules Committee and at the close of yesterday's meeting the following Articles of Constitution were drafted.

**NAME**  
This organisation shall be called the Hongkong Amateur Sports Federation.

**OBJECTS**  
The objects of the HKASF shall be: (a) to promote all sports amongst amateurs of both sexes; (b) to stimulate public opinion in favour of providing proper accommodation and facilities for the practice of all sports; (c) to approve and enforce uniform laws for the encouragement and regulation of Amateur sports in Hongkong and deal with any infringement thereof; (d) to incorporate a local sports organisations and cooperate their interests; (e) to affiliate with any worldwide or regional organisations dedicated to the promotion of international competitions; (f) to foster the organisation of international competitions and to promote Hongkong's participation in them.

**OPEN TRIPLES**  
The postponed matches in the Colony Open Triples which should have been played on Sunday, July 9 at the Hongkong Football Club will now be played on Sunday, July 16 at the Hongkong Football Club starting at 3.30 p.m.

**JURISDICTION**  
The Federation shall consist of such Amateur Sports Associations as are duly admitted to membership. Associations so admitted shall be the controlling body of that particular branch of sport in Hongkong.

The following were present: Messrs J. Skinner (ex-officio), Walter Chen, Ma Man-fai, Mok Hing, Pang Siu-in, N. J. B. Bingham, A. de O. Silva, Capt. Chisnall, and R. M. Omar.







## Australian Airmen Are Enthusiastic

Tokyo, July 11. Australian airmen are carrying on with "great enthusiasm" in the war against the North Korean Reds.

Members of the Australian Mission in Tokyo and staff officers at the main Aussie base in Southern Japan agree operations so far have been "very satisfactory."

However, Mr. Arthur B. Jamieson, Australian delegate to the United Nations Commission in Korea, feels the Korean operation will be a "terribly lengthy thing."

Mr. Jamieson has just returned to Tokyo after moving south with other members of the Commission who were in the forward area of Korea early in the fighting.

Mr. Jamieson said he went south "to preserve freedom of action."

Asked how he feels on the advisability of continuing past the 38th Parallel if South Korea is eventually cleared of Communists, Mr. Jamieson declined to answer on the ground that it was a matter for action by the entire United Nations Commission.

Mr. Jamieson said two Sydney men were left in Korea as observers at forward headquarters—Major F.S.B. Peach and Squadron Leader R.J. Rankin.—United Press.

### FRENCH HELP

Washington, July 11. A United States naval spokesman today confirmed that the French Government had ordered one of its naval vessels in the Far East to be fitted out for service in Korean waters.—Reuter.

## FEARS FELT FOR SAFETY OF BISHOP

Vatican City, July 11. Officials of the Sacred Congregation for the Propagation of the Faith, which directs the missionary activities of the Roman Catholic Church, said today that "grave fears" have been aroused for the safety of the American Apostolic Visitor to Korea, Bishop Patrick J. Byrne.

Bishop Byrne, of the Society of Missions of the Maryknoll Fathers, was born in 1898.

The Congregation said he was in his residence in Seoul at the time of the Communist invasion.

Bishop Paul Okamoto, Apostolic Vicar of Seoul, said on Monday night, Vatican authorities said a total of 43 American Catholic missionaries, including Bishop Byrne, were in Korea.

The news agency Ari, usually well-informed on Catholic affairs, said the British Ambassador in Moscow had been instructed to ask the Soviet Government to report the whereabouts of the British Minister in Seoul, as well as of the Catholic bishop.—United Press.

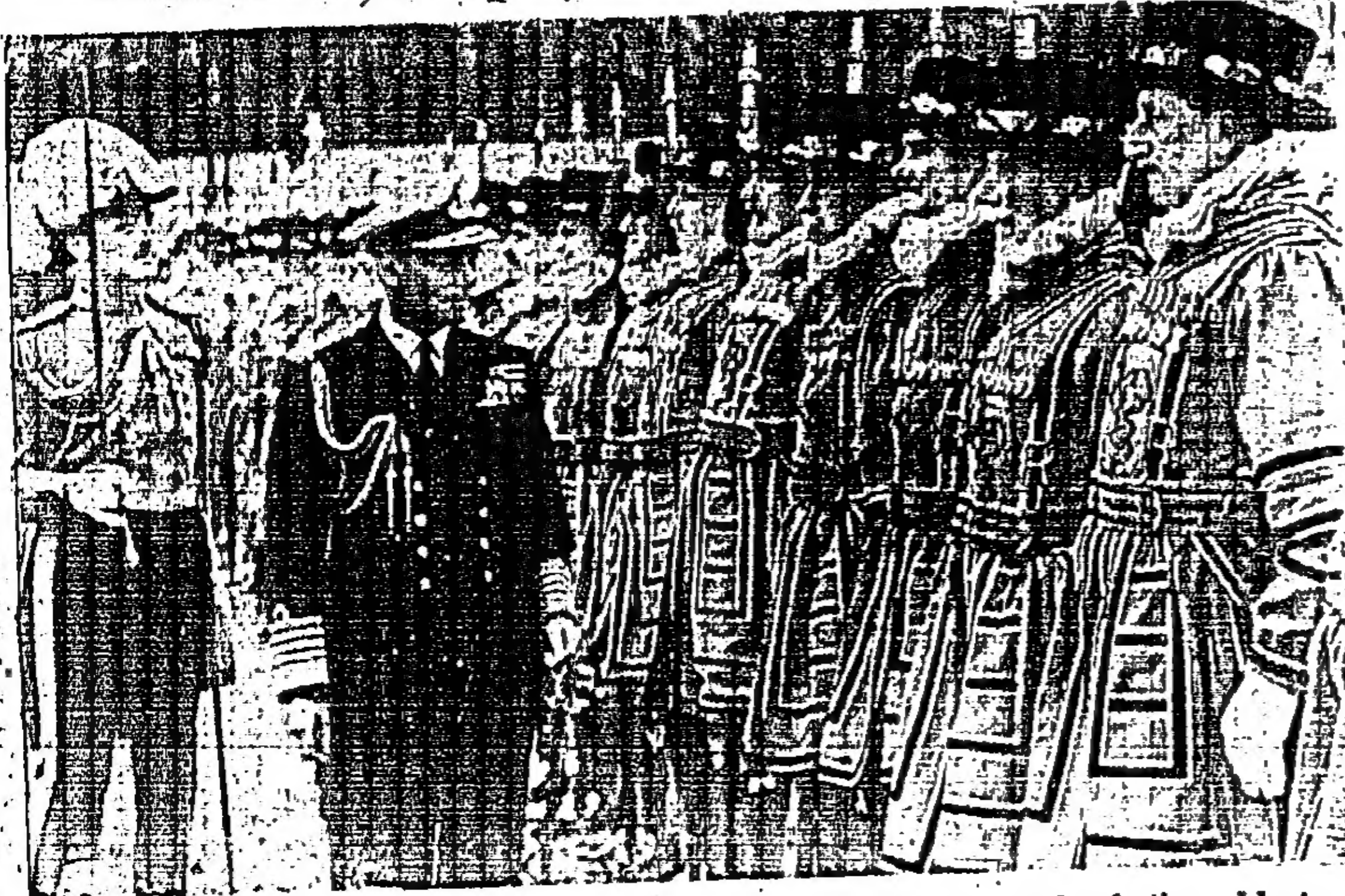
## DIPLOMATIC PARTIES

San Francisco, July 11. Two diplomatic functions were held in the Chinese capital of Peking yesterday, according to a Communist broadcast picked up here today.

The first was given by the Chairman of the Chinese Government, Mr. Mao Tse-tung, in honour of Bayan Dzhargalakh, Mongolian Ambassador, and the second by the Foreign Minister, Mr. Chou En-lai, in honour of Mr. A. Morch, Danish Minister in Peking.

The broadcast also reported that Mr. Mao and Mr. Chou had sent messages of greetings to Mongolian dignitaries on the occasion of the 20th anniversary of the founding of the Mongolian People's Republic.—Reuter.

## Yeomen Inspected By Sovereign



...the King on July 5 inspected the King's Bodyguard of the oldest military corps in the world—the Yeomen of the Guard—for the first time since 1939. The Yeomen, who wore medals recalling every campaign over the last half century, were under the command of the Earl of Lucan, Captain of Yeomen, assisted by the Lieutenant of Yeomen, General MacAlmont. Lord Lucan is facing the camera behind His Majesty. (London Express Service).

## EGYPT EXPLAINS STAND OVER KOREAN CONFLICT

Cairo, July 11.

The Egyptian Foreign Minister, Dr. Saleh el Din Bey, declared at a press conference here today that Egypt "fully concurs" that aggression in Korea should be stopped, but had decided not to support the United Nations' resolution to aid South Korea because "she feels that the United Nations has not acted as promptly in past cases of aggression as in the present."

"We denounce aggression anywhere, everywhere, and expect the United Nations to act as effectively and promptly as has been done in Korea. There should not be two ways of dealing with aggression," he said.

Then, in what was believed to be a reference to the Palestine war, the Foreign Minister added: "In the Middle East we have seen a swift and effective action by the United Nations as we have seen in Korea. On the contrary, the United Nations showed recklessness, and its resolutions in some cases helped the aggressor."

Salah el Din Bey added: "Except for Communism, both Communism and Imperialism, Egypt considers Western Imperialism as a crisis of war and denounces it equally with Communism, which foments civil war by secret support and fifth column activity. Egypt does not want to replace one master by another."

The Foreign Minister said that in spite of the approach by the Indian Prime Minister, Pandit Nehru, to Egypt for the recognition of Communist China on the ground that China was not "100 percent subservient to Moscow," Egypt was maintaining its attitude of non-recognition.

He doubted if recognition of Communist China by Egypt would end the crisis in the Far East.

He said that in the event of the Korean fighting developing into another world war, Egypt would have to reconsider her present attitude.—Reuter.

### SOME COMFORT

Regarding the possibility of another war, Mr. Hoover said there was "some comfort in the fact that general war must have an attainable end that can be strategically possible."

"There is no general military victory strategically possible for the Kremlin," he added. "But the men in the Kremlin are not always sane men."

Mr. Hoover urged the United States and United Nations to define their goals and policies as the United States did in the Monroe Doctrine. He said:

"We cannot successfully cope with present world problems or secure lasting peace without consistent and clearly-defined policies and objectives which we are prepared to support and defend. Military strength is no substitute for sound policy."—United Press.

## OPPOSITION TO INDIAN LABOUR BILL

London, July 11.

Mr. Jagjivan Ram, the Indian Minister of Labour, told a London press conference today that he was determined to see his Industrial Relations Bill become law.

It had been receiving opposition, he said, from both employers and workers. Experience had taught him that when this happened the new legislation was holding the balance between the two sides.

Once the Bill had been passed, he believed that many other countries more advanced industrially than India would copy it. He said that the labour situation in India was on the whole satisfactory. In the three-year industrial truce which began in December 1947, the Government had received full co-operation from labour.

He frankly admitted that the Government had not effected increases in wages and allowances to the same extent as rises in the cost of living.

### PRICES STEADY

But prices had stopped rising. The Government was now trying to push the prices down. Mr. Jagjivan Ram said that sickness benefit would be introduced on a limited scale among about 300,000 industrial workers in Delhi and Calcutta.

He said that he would like to see the trade union movement in India more unified than it was at present, with four central organizations—one dominated by the Communists, a second by the Socialists, a third more or less supporting Congress and the fourth an amalgam of all elements.

It was always difficult to unify trades unions when political considerations came into play.—Reuter.

## Czechs Object To Blockade

Prague, July 11.

In a note to the American Embassy here, the Czechoslovak Foreign Ministry today formally protested against the United States blockade of the Korean Coast.

"The President of the United States, by imposing this blockade, grossly violates the Charter of the United Nations Organisation," the note said.—Reuter.

## RESOLUTION BY JEWS

Frankfurt, July 11.

The World Jewish Congress has asked the German Government to take "sterner measures" against all Germans guilty of persecuting Jews since 1933.

In a four-point resolution, published in today's German Jewish weekly, it called for legal reparations for the victims of Nazism, the granting of a workable and established list of damages for the dependents of Jewish victims, the devotion to Jewish relief of impounded Nazi assets in Allied custody, and the devotion to Jewish relief of unclaimed Jewish fortunes in Germany.—Reuter.

### INTELLIGENCE TEST

Call the five "racketeers" D, V, J, M, W. They can not out the data as follows: C, V, C, S.

Four years ago...  
Three years ago...  
Two years ago...  
Last year...  
This year...  
I can only be 31; so I was Chairman two years ago, and I'll be Chairman this year.  
—London Express Service.

### CHECK YOUR KNOWLEDGE

Answers

1. A small fore sail on a gaff, used as a storm sail. 2. First cousin. 3. Broken. 4. Westminster Abbey. 5. Sir Arthur Conan Doyle. 6. Stradivarius.

## International Court Decides On Status Of Southwest Africa

The Hague, July 11.

The International Court of Justice — the highest tribunal in the world — today unanimously decided that Southwest Africa was still a territory under international mandate and that the Union of South Africa was not competent to modify its international status. The Court held that such competence rested with the Union acting with the consent of the United Nations.

The South African Prime Minister, Dr. Daniel Malan, told the Union Parliament in April that its passing of the Southwest Africa Affairs Amendment Act, giving the territory wider representation in the South African Parliament, meant that his Government no longer recognised the existence of the League of Nations' mandate.

Dr. A. L. Gayer, South African High Commissioner in London, said last night that in spite of changes "to grant the territory wider representation," the South African Government intends to continue administering Southwest Africa in the spirit of the mandate given her by the League of Nations.

The International Court, to which the question of the status of Southwest Africa was referred by the United Nations, held today that South Africa still has the international obligations resulting from her League of Nations' mandate, including the obligation to submit reports and transmit petitions from the inhabitants of that territory, the supervisory function to be exercised by the United Nations.

### NO MORE REPORTS

The Court also unanimously decided that the provisions of Chapter 12 (remaking of trusteeship) of the United Nations Charter were applicable in West Africa in the sense that they provided means by which the territory might be brought under the trusteeship system. By eight votes to six, the Court decided that the Charter

did not impose on the Union of South Africa a legal obligation to place Southwest Africa under trusteeship.

South Africa, which has governed Southwest Africa as a mandated territory under the League of Nations since the first World War, last year discontinued sending reports to the United Nations on its administration of the territory.

A series of questions arising out of the South African action was submitted to the International Court by the General Assembly of the United Nations.

The advisory opinion of the Court was given in French by the President of the Court, M. Jules Basdevant of France.

### DECISION IN DETAIL

The decisions of the Court in detail were as follows: "Southwest Africa is a territory under the international mandate assumed by the Union of South Africa on December 17, 1920."

"The Union of South Africa continues to have the international obligations stated in Article 22 of the Covenant of the League of Nations and in the mandate for Southwest Africa, as well as the obligation to transmit petitions from the inhabitants of that territory."

"The supervisory functions, to be exercised by the United Nations, to which the annual reports and the petitions are to be submitted, and the reference to the permanent Court of International Justice, is to be replaced by a reference to the International Court of Justice, in accordance with Article seven of the mandate and Article 27 of the Statute of the Court."

"The provisions of chapter 12 (relating to trusteeship) of the Charter are applicable in the territory of Southwest Africa in the sense that they provide a means by which the territory

## Slim On Defence Of India

Karachi, July 11.

Field-Marshal Sir William Slim, Chief of the Imperial General Staff, said today that it was "military nonsense" to consider the defence of the Indian sub-continent otherwise than as a "joint effort by India and Pakistan."

The best contribution the two countries could make to the cause of world freedom was to settle their own disputes, he declared at a press conference here.

Sir William is returning to England after a tour of South-east Asia.

In reply to a question he said that a joint defence council for the Commonwealth might be a good thing. A similar organisation already existed between Great Britain and Canada in the North Atlantic Pact.—Reuter.

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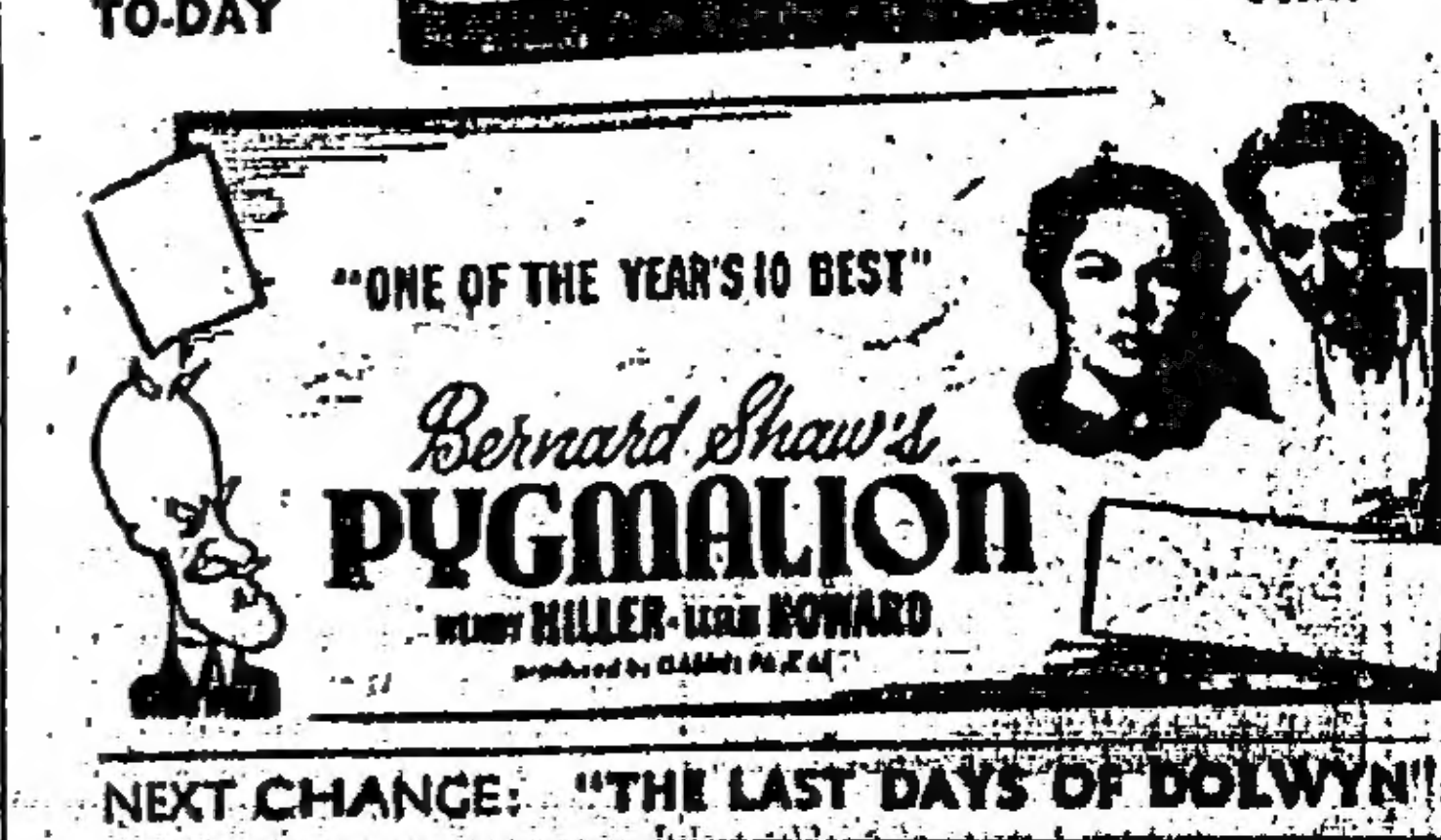
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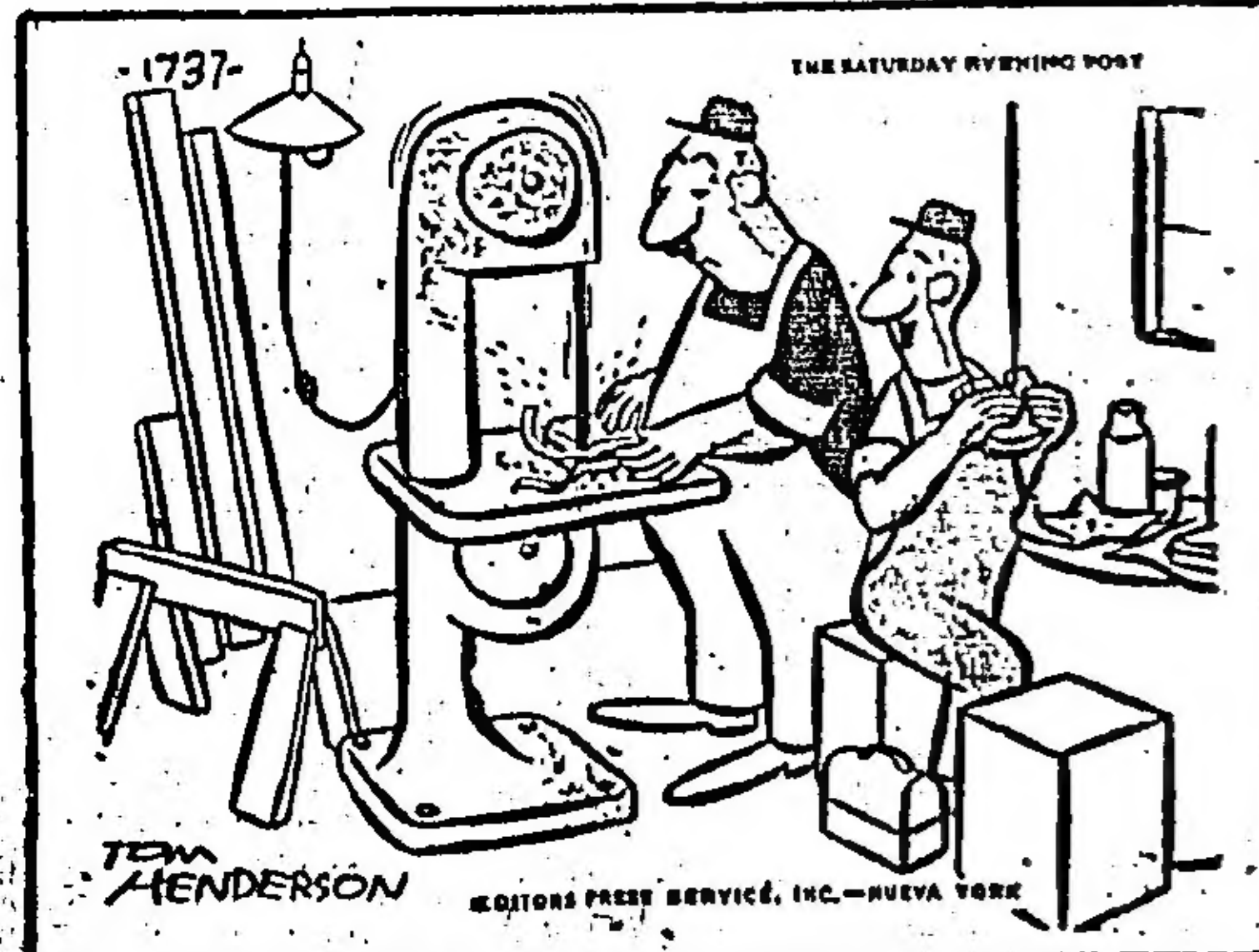
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